

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The cable ownership

cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

It is quite obvious that your desire to consolidate media power will not serve the public interest, but rather it will weaken Democracy and stifle a broad range of debate on all manner of topics. It is also quite obvious that this is the result you would like to see. The American people may seem diverted and uninvolved with such matters now, but they cannot be kept in the dark for long, and when they here the truth, when your dubious plans are presented to them clearly, they Will Not stand for it.